

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A tape dispensing device comprising:
a body member which houses a roll of tape;
a cutting device coupled to one end of the body member
for cutting a piece of tape from the roll of tape; and
a neutralizing device coupled to the body member and next
to the cutting device for neutralize a static charge from the piece
of tape.

2. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 1
wherein the body member comprises:
an "L" shaped base;
a cavity formed in an interior section of the "L" shaped
base; and
a holding mechanism for holding the roll of tape in the
cavity while allowing the roll of tape to rotate when tape is being
dispensed.

3. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 1
wherein the cutting device is a dual direction cutting device.

4. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 3
wherein the dual direction cutting device comprises:

a channeling having an opening which allows the tape to
pass through;

a first cutting surface located on a bottom edge of the
channeling; and

a second cutting surface located on a top edge of the
channeling.

5. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 1
wherein the neutralizing device is a magnet.

6. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 4
wherein the neutralizing device comprises:

a first magnet coupled to the body member and next to the
first cutting surface; and

a second magnet coupled to the body member and next to
the second cutting surface.

7. A tape dispensing device comprising:

a body member which houses a roll of tape;

a dual direction cutting device coupled to one end of the body member for cutting a piece of tape from the roll of tape, the dual direction cutting device comprising:

a channeling having an opening which allows the tape to pass through;

a first cutting surface located on a bottom edge of the channeling; and

a second cutting surface located on a top edge of the channeling;

a neutralizing device coupled to the body member and next to the cutting device for neutralizing a static charge from the piece of tape.

8. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 7 wherein the body member comprises:

an "L" shaped base;

a cavity formed in an interior section of the "L" shaped base; and

a holding mechanism for holding the roll of tape in the cavity while allowing the roll of tape to rotate when tape is being dispensed.

9. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 7 wherein the neutralizing device comprises:

a first magnet coupled to the body member and next to the first cutting surface; and

a second magnet coupled to the body member and next to the second cutting surface.

10. A device for removing a static charge from tape comprising:

a base plate which is coupled to a tape dispensing device;

a channeling formed in the base plate wherein the channeling allows the tape to be pulled through the channeling;

a cutting surface coupled to an edge of the channeling; and

a neutralizing device coupled to the base plate and next to the cutting surface for neutralizing a static charge from the tape.

11. A device for removing a static charge from tape in accordance with Claim 10 wherein the cutting surface comprises:

a first cutting surface located on a bottom edge of the channeling; and

a second cutting surface located on a top edge of the channeling.

12. A device for removing a static charge from tape in accordance with Claim 10 wherein the neutralizing device is a magnet.

13. A device for removing a static charge from tape in accordance with Claim 11 wherein the neutralizing device comprises:

a first magnet coupled to the base plate and next to the first cutting surface; and

a second magnet coupled to the base plate and next to the second cutting surface.